

**No. 22-35068**

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**IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS  
FOR THE NINTH CIRCUIT**

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ROBERT MCLAFFERTY,

*Petitioner-Appellant,*

v.

DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS; ET AL.,

*Respondents-Appellees.*

On Appeal from the United States District Court  
For the District of Oregon  
No. 3:20-cv-1487-MO  
Hon. Michael W. Mosman

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